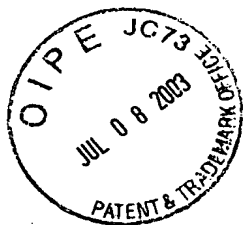


RECEIVED
JUL 14 2003
TC 1700

7/17/03
#8(Amdt
B

Attorney Docket No. UMC-98-048 CON
Client Matter No. 81848.0018.003
Express Mail No. EV335405579US



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Continuation Application of:

Coming CHEN, et al

Serial No. 09/991,466

Filed: November 21, 2001

For: METHOD OF FORMING PARTIAL
REVERSE ACTIVE MASK

Art Unit: 1756

Examiner: N. M. BARRECA

Confirmation No. 3828

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION MAILED
APRIL 8, 2003

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

An Office Action was mailed in the above case April 8, 2003. Please
enter the following amendment: